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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
Northern District of California**

**CIVIL MINUTES**

**Date:** May 3, 2019

**Time:** 10:07 – 11:00 =  
53 Minutes

**Judge:** EDWARD M. CHEN

**Case No.:** [17-md-02777-EMC](#)

**Case Name:** In re Chrysler-Dodge-Jeep EcoDiesel  
Marketing

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**Deputy Clerk:** Angella Meuleman

**Court Reporter:** Debra Pas

**PROCEEDINGS**

Final Approval Hearing – Held.

**SUMMARY**

Parties stated appearances.

For the reasons stated on the record, the Court certifies the class, grants final approval to the class action settlement with the Private Plaintiffs, grants motions for attorneys fees and costs and service awards. The Court also approves the U.S./California consent decree and the two California partial consent decrees. The Court has reviewed all objections and comments and finds that none is a basis on which to deny approval. Final orders are to be issued shortly hereafter.

With respect to persons or entities that opted out of the settlement with the Private Plaintiffs, the case remains stayed. Defendants, however, are not barred from communicating with the opt-outs to determine whether their disputes can be resolved.

A joint status conference statement shall be filed by August 1, 2019. In the statement, the parties should address, *inter alia*, the status of the claims process and the status of the opt-outs.

A further status conference is set for September 6, 2019, at 10:00 a.m.

**The parties are to immediately file with the Court the contact information for the opt-outs. Where the opt-outs are represented by counsel, contact information for counsel is sufficient. Defendants are ordered to serve a copy of this Clerk's Notice on the two law firms that appear to represent the majority of the opt-outs and on each of the unrepresented opt-outs.**